

## United States Department of Agriculture National Agricultural Statistics Service Northeastern Regional Field Office



## Dear Boys and Girls,

We hope you enjoyed playing the games and coloring the pictures in this booklet. We are grateful to our Pennsylvania farmers and their families for the food they provide and the wholesome milk we drink.

We are also grateful to them for completing our surveys throughout the year. This is how we gather our data about agriculture. A lot of people and agencies learn from this data, like - - -



- the farmers themselves
- magazines, newspapers, radio
- farm businesses
- farm associations
- banks and lenders
- schools and universities
- farm cooperatives
- government agencies
- legislatures

We hope you have become more aware of agriculture in Pennsylvania and learned how important it is to the people who work hard to produce our food.